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**Subject:** Urine testing?

Subject: Revised Mandatory Guidelines FR DOCKET 04-7984.

Hello,

In regards to the urine testing, I'm very concerned about these tests that are done ONLY with urine cups. For myself and many others that are like me that have SHY BLADDER SYNDROME ( paruresis ) due to being traumatized as a child. I have tried a few times to submit a urine with a man watching over me and nothing will come out? I relive the trauma when this happens! Then without any other alternatives to the urine cups i'm considered "Dirty" when in fact my urine is clean.

Could there be alternatives to testing such as: Oral Swabs, Blood Testing, Sweat, Hair? This is a serious medical condition and we would like to know if there can be alternatives to the urine cups?

Thank You Sincerely,

Kevin

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